

MILITARY TRAINING CONTEST

Prizes Offered for Best Letters To Be Sent to Local Committee.

There is no family in the city nor in the state whom military training would not affect. Yet there are hundreds of citizens who do not have even a remote idea of the plans before congress for army reorganization. The senate committee has reported favorably on a bill requiring equality of service from every youth of the nation. Do you know what the bill is and how it will affect you?

Of course, you have no conscientious objections to serving your country and you aren't misled by distasteful publicity schemes who are shouting militarism and conscription. But do you know which of the many bills prescribing universal training you prefer? Do you know anything about the Wadsworth bill beyond its title? Have you an argument for military training that has not been presented?

The Topeka committee for military training desires to hear from men and women who are interested in the subject. For the best 500-word letter setting forth the most advantages of universal training the committee will pay \$100. For the next best letter, the committee will pay \$5. For the third letter, the committee will pay \$2.50. There are few rules and no technicalities.

If you believe in military training, put your belief on paper and send it to the secretary of the committee. The prize-winning letters will be published. The contest closes Sunday, February 15.

The rules of the contest follow: Write legibly on one side of the paper.

The letters will be judged on the number of reasons contained and on style.

Enclose in your letter nothing but the entry in the contest and your address.

Send your letter to Secretary of the Topeka Committee for Universal Training, 210 West 5th avenue.

No letters will be returned.

PERRY WILL HAVE HIGH SCHOOL

Bonds Are Voted for Erection of \$65,000 Building This Summer.

Perry, Kan., Feb. 5.—By a vote of 41 to 3, residents of Perry and vicinity, decided to establish a rural high school here. A bond issue of \$65,000 also carried and plans for the completion of the building in time for the opening of the school term next fall will be pushed at once. The district embraces Kentucky and rural townships and a small part of Fairview and Oakalosa townships.

INFANT DIES IN FLAMES

Got Too Close to Gas Stove and Her Clothing Was Ignited.

Eldorado, Kan., Feb. 5.—Ruth H. Campbell, 18-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Campbell, who live on the Wilson lease, northwest of town, was burned so badly Wednesday noon she died a few minutes later. The girl had been left at home alone and her mother went to a neighbor's. She got too close to an open gas stove, which set her dress afire.

WATCH WIFE SLAYER CLOSELY

Salina Authorities Fear Second Attempt at Suicide in Hospital.

Salina, Feb. 5.—Nurses are forced to maintain constant watch over Van S. Hile, who shot and killed his wife and attempted suicide Monday. He constantly expresses a desire to die.

Good-bye Dyspepsia

No More Gurgly Brash, "Lump of Lead," Bad Digestion, Heartburn or Stomach Troubles.

The man who can't help making faces at his stomach, the man or woman with a gurgly digestion, or with downright dyspepsia need fret no more.

The heaviest, richest dinners, the most unpalatable quick lunches, all can be taken care of without imposing on the stomach. A scientific digestive can do the digesting where the stomach either did not do it before or did it very imperfectly.

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Go after it right away with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey

The person who once gives this nationally popular cough and cold relieving medicine a fair opportunity of proving itself, becomes a convert. He learns how really beneficial its healing and balsamic antiseptics are in helping relieve a cold, cough, gripe, bronchitis, hoarseness. He finds out how promptly it assists Nature in effecting a complete eradication of phlegm and inflammation and congestion.

Today—right now—get an economical bottle at your druggist's. It will be a well-paying investment. 50c, 60c, \$1.20.

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A pleasant, effective treatment for every family. Promptly relieves the bile flow and overcomes constipation. Po-Dox acts smoothly, pleasantly on the most stubborn bowels. Try it today—give it to the children.

PODOX
LIVER AND STOMACH

even tho he does not know yet that he will be blind if he lives. He thinks now that the room has been darkened and a deputy sheriff is with him constantly as it is feared that he will make another attempt on his life when he learns the truth. He refuses to eat, and was weaker today. Two brothers of Mrs. Hile, living at Fairview, Pa., today wired that they would be here Saturday to take the body of their sister back home for burial.

CHASE WOLF FROM COLLEGE

Ottawa University Is Now Out of Debt for First Time.

Ottawa, Kan., Feb. 5.—For the first time in several years Ottawa university is out of debt. Insufficiency of producing endowment caused the Baptist college here to go behind for several years until there was an accumulated debt of about \$55,000. This week a check for \$40,000 was received from the headquarters of the Northern Baptist convention at Chicago and another check for \$150,000 from the Kansas Baptist convention recently, took care of the balance.

The importance attached to liquidation of the debt lies in the fact that as fast as the \$300,000 in pledges in the state are paid up—the last being due September 1, 1921—all of the \$100,000 promised by the general education board (the Rockefeller foundation) will become available. Besides this \$400,000, \$250,000 of which is to be used for endowment, the remainder for buildings, the completion of the Baptist financial drive in the northern area of the United States this year will assure Ottawa university of an additional \$350,000 during the next five years. Of this

amount \$500,000 more will apply to endowment, making the school's total endowment in five years \$1,000,000.

Work on a new science hall and central heating plant is to be pushed to completion this summer. A new library building will follow.

FORM ICE AND CREAMERY FIRM

Topeka Creamery Company and Zeigler Factory Merge on North Side.

The Farmers' Creamery & Ice company has been formed by consolidation of the Topeka Creamery company and Zeigler & Sons ice cream factory. More than 200 stockholders are interested in the formation of the new

company which is capitalized at \$50,000.

The building at 1000-1002 North anas avenue, now being remodeled, will be occupied by the new firm when preparatory work is completed. The cost of improvements is estimated at \$35,000. The interior will be of white enamel. A complete outfit of new machinery will be installed on the first floor. The second floor will be used for the offices and for storage.

The company will manufacture ice cream, ice and butter. The daily output has been approximated as 3,000 pounds of butter and about twenty tons of ice. It will use about fifteen tons of ice per day in the plant.

Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

Easily and cheaply made at home, but it beats them all for quick results.

Thousands of housewives have found that they can save two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using the well-known old recipe for making cough syrup at home. It is simple and cheap but it has no equal for prompt results. It takes right hold of a cough and gives immediate relief, usually stopping an ordinary cough in 24 hours or less.

Get 2½ ounces of Pinex from any druggist, pour it into a pint bottle and add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, keeps perfectly, and lasts a family a long time. It's truly astonishing how quickly it acts, penetrating through every air passage of the throat and lungs—loosens and raises the phlegm, soothes and heals the membranes, and gradually but surely the annoying throat tickle and dreaded cough disappear entirely. Nothing better for bronchitis, spasmodic croup, hoarseness or bronchial asthma.

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Again Greatly Reduced for This Special Event

Dresses
of fine quality Velvet in straightline and tunic models, richly ornamented with braid, embroidery and buttons. These are very high-grade Dresses. Old Fashioned Clearance Sale Price
\$15.00

Dresses
of excellent quality Satin and Wool Velour; in styles admirably suited for street, afternoon and general wear. Old Fashioned Clearance Sale Price
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made of French Serges and Wool Jerseys in many charming styles; suitable for street, office and general wear; a pleasing variety of Spring colors. Old Fashioned Clearance Sale Price
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All remaining Winter Suits will go in the Old Fashioned Clearance Sale at
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in Black and Beavertex Plush in the popular short Coat styles. Old Fashioned Clearance Sale Price
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Plain and fur-trimmed high-grade Cloth Coats, also a few short Plushes. Old Fashioned Clearance Sale Price
\$45.00

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of Silvertone and Wool Velour in plain and fur-trimmed models. Old Fashioned Clearance Sale Price
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Coats
All our finest Cloth and Pile Fabric Coats will go in the Old Fashioned Clearance Sale at
\$65 and \$75

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Listerine.....18c, 38c, 88c
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Olive Oil, pt......98c
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TOILETS
Williams' Toilet Water, \$1.00.....59c
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D and R Cold Cream, 50c.....39c
Chinwah Face Powder, 50c.....38c
Cutex Manicure Set, \$2.00.....\$1.69
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Pepsodent Tooth Paste.....35c
Pebeco Tooth Paste.....35c
Frostilla.....20c

TALCUMS
Williams, 20c.....4 cans, 50c
Lazell's, 20c.....4 cans 50c
Hudnut's, 25c.....3 cans 50c
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SOAPS
Physicians and Surgeons.....Doz. \$1.00
Jergen's Violet Glycerine.....Doz. .95
Armour's Elder Flower.....Doz. 1.20
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet.....Doz. 1.10
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